

# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company Special Ranger Force, Station Houston

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Harris

I, F. L. Yoltan, born in Clark County  
in the State of Missouri, aged 53 years and 1 months, and by occupation a  
T&N O.R. Co. employee do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 11th day of  
June, 1935, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two  
years, unless sooner discharged by proper authority, without compensation. And I do solemnly swear  
that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer  
of the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws  
of the United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the  
Constitution of this State, I being a citizen of this State have not fought a duel with deadly weapons,  
nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offend-  
ing. And I furthermore answer that I have not, directly or indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay,  
contributed nor promised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or  
employment, to secure my appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11 day of June, A. D. 1935.

Fill in description below.

J. T. Daphin  
Notary Public, Harris County, Texas.

I certify that \_\_\_\_\_, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me  
previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to  
and will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 53  
years 1 months of age. Height 6 feet 1/2 inches. Complexion Med Eyes grey.  
Hair Dark Born at \_\_\_\_\_ County of Clark State of Missouri  
Weight 175 Residence 1320 West Pierce Houston Texas  
Occupation Employed T & N O.R. Co. Married or single Married Previous service  
Asst. Chief Special Agent.

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

Captain Co. \_\_\_\_\_ Ranger Force

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
SPECIAL

OATH OF MEMBERS  
RANGER FORCE

Name F. L. Yolton

Rank Special Ranger

Company \_\_\_\_\_, Ranger Force

Station Houston, Texas

Enlisted June 11, 1935  
Discharged August 10, 1935

# THE STATE OF TEXAS



## ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

### Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer F. L. Yolton is a **SPECIAL RANGER** in the Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Approved March 31st, 1919, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to Act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

|            |                          |                  |   |
|------------|--------------------------|------------------|---|
| Name       | <u>F. L. Yolton</u>      | Rank             | <u>Special Ranger</u>                                 |
| Age        | <u>53 years 1 month</u>  | Where born       | <u>Clark Co. Missouri</u>                             |
| Height     | <u>6 feet 1/2 inches</u> | Occupation       | <u>Assistant Chief Spe. Agt. T &amp; NO. R.R. Co.</u> |
| Weight     | <u>175 lbs.</u>          | Residence        | <u>Houston, Texas</u>                                 |
| Hair       | <u>Dark</u>              | Enlisted Where   | <u>Austin, Texas</u>                                  |
| Eyes       | <u>Grey</u>              | Enlisted When    | <u>June 11, 1935</u>                                  |
| Complexion | <u>Medium</u>            | Enlisted by Whom | <u>Carl Nesbitt, The Adjutant General</u>             |

This warrant of authority is void after June 10th, 1937 and must be returned to this Department for Cancellation.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 11

day of June, 1935.

Carl Nesbitt  
The Adjutant General.

Attest: R. W. Hedrick  
Captain Ranger Force

Commanding Co.

A. + M. O.

R. B.

# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

*Handwritten initials*

Company.....Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Harris

I, Frank L. Goltson, born in Clark County

in the State of Missouri aged 50 years and 8 months, and by occupation a

T. & N. O. R. R. Co. do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 28th day of

Jan, 1933, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,

Without compensation.

unless sooner discharged by proper authority. ~~And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such~~

~~bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law.~~ And I do solemnly swear

that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of

the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the

United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution

of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted

as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I further-

more answer that I have not, directly or indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor promised

to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my appoint-

ment. So help me God.

Frank L. Goltson

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 28th day of Jan A. D. 1933

E. M. Bradley  
Notary Public in and for Harris County, Tex.

Fill in description below.

I certify that Frank L. Goltson, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me

previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and

will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 50 years

8 months of age. Height 6 feet 1/2 inches. Complexion Dark Eyes Grey

Hair Dark Born at..... County of Clark State of Missouri

Weight 175 Residence 1320 W. Pierce Houston Texas

Occupation Assistant Chief Special Agent S. P. Lines Married or single Married Previous service.....

Remarks: .....

Captain Co.....Ranger Force.

*So Pac*

A. G. O. Form 21.  
Authorized July 7, 1905.

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**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

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**OATH OF MEMBERS  
RANGER FORCE**

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Name Frank L. Yolton

Rank Spacial Ranger

Company \_\_\_\_\_, Ranger Force

Station Houston, Texas

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Enlisted Jan 28 1933

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 KNAPE PRINTING CO.

# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company.....Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of .....

I, F. L. Yalton, born in Clark County  
in the State of Missouri, aged 49 years and 9 months, and by occupation a  
T. N. C. R. Co. Special Agent, do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 15th day of  
March, 1932, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,

unless sooner discharged by proper authority. And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law. And I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I furthermore answer that I have not, directly or indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor promised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of March, A. D. 1932.

Fill in description below.

I certify that....., the above named man, has been carefully examined by me previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 49 years

9 months of age. Height 6 feet 1/2 inches. Complexion Dark Eyes grey

Hair Dark grey Born at..... County of Clark State of Missouri

Weight 175 Residence 1320 West Pearl Houston Texas

Occupation S. P. Lines Special Agent Married or single Married Previous service.....

Remarks: Extended to 3-14-34

Captain Co.....Ranger Force.

A. G. O. Form 21.  
Authorized July 7, 1905.

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**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

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Enlisted March 15, 1932.

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*Expires 3-14-34*  
**OATH OF MEMBERS  
RANGER FORCE**

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Name Yolton, F. L.

Rank Ranger

Company Special, Ranger Force

Station Houston, Texas.

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Enlisted March 15, 1932  
Discharged Jan 18 1933

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 KNAPE PRINTING CO.

R.R.

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

*Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List*

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer..... **F. L. Yolton**

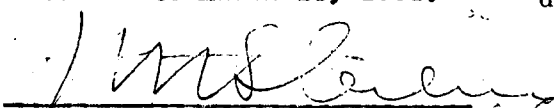
is a **Special Ranger** in ~~Company~~ the Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Approved March 31, 1919, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to Act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

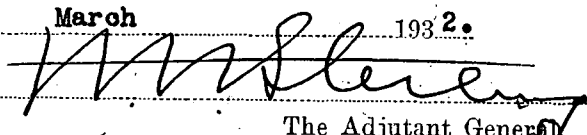
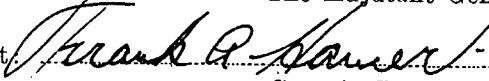
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|------------|---|------------------|--|
| Name       | <b>F. L. Yolton.</b>                      | Rank             | <b>Ranger.</b>                         |
| Age        | <b>49 yrs. 9 mo.</b>                      | Where born       | <b>Clark County, Missouri.</b>         |
| Height     | <b>6 ft. <math>\frac{1}{2}</math> in.</b> | Occupation       | <b>Spec. Agt., So. Pac. Ry. Lines.</b> |
| Weight     | <b>175 lbs.</b>                           | Residence        | <b>Houston, Texas.</b>                 |
| Hair       | <b>Grey.</b>                              | Enlisted Where   | <b>Austin, Texas.</b>                  |
| Eyes       | <b>Grey.</b>                              | Enlisted When    | <b>March 15, 1932.</b>                 |
| Complexion | <b>Dark.</b>                              | Enlisted by Whom | <b>W. W. Sterling,</b>                 |
|            |   |                  | <b>The Adjutant General.</b>           |

This warrant of authority is void after **January 20, 1933.**  
and must be returned to this Department for Cancellation.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this **15th**

Extended to **March 14, 1934.** day of **March** 193**2.**

  
W. W. Sterling,  
The Adjutant General of Texas.

  
The Adjutant General  
Attest   
Captain Ranger Force  
Commanding Co.....



# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company..... Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Harris

I, Frank L. Yoltan, born in Clark County

in the State of Missouri, aged 48 years and 5 months, and by occupation a

Asst Chief Spt. Sgt. S. P. Davis hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 6 day of

Nov., 1930, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,

unless sooner discharged by proper authority. Without compensation

And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such

county pay subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law. And I do solemnly swear

that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of

the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the

United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution

of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted

as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I further-

more swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor prom-

ised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my

appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of November, A. D. 1930.

Fill in description below.

I certify that....., the above named man, has been carefully examined by me

previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and

will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 48 years

5 months of age. Height 6 feet 1/2 inches. Complexion Med Eyes Brown

Hair Black Born at..... County of Clark State of Mo.

Weight..... Occupation Asst Chief Spt. Sgt. S. P. Davis Married or single married Previous service.....

Residence 1320 West Purcell Houston Texas

Remarks: .....

Caption Co..... Ranger Force.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

**OATH OF MEMBERS  
RANGER FORCE**

So. Pacific

Name Frank L. Yolton

Rank Private

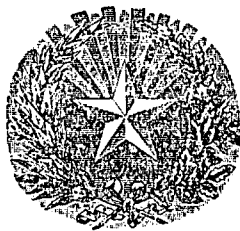
Company \_\_\_\_\_, Ranger Force

Station Houston

11/6/31

Warrant dated November 6, 1930

# THE STATE OF TEXAS



## ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

### *Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List*

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer.....**Frank L. Yolton**

is a **Private** in ~~xxxxxx~~ the **Company** Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Approved March 31, 1919, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to Act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

|            |                          |                  |                                    |
|------------|--------------------------|------------------|------------------------------------|
| Name       | <b>Frank L. Yolton</b>   | Rank             | <b>Private</b>                     |
| Age        | <b>48 years 5 months</b> | Where born       | <b>Claek County, Mo.</b>           |
| Height     | <b>Six feet ½ inch</b>   | Occupation       | <b>Asst. Chief Sp. Agt. SP Ry.</b> |
| Weight     | <b>175 pounds</b>        | Residence        | <b>Houston, Texas</b>              |
| Hair       | <b>Black</b>             | Enlisted Where   | <b>Austin, Texas</b>               |
| Eyes       | <b>Brown</b>             | Enlisted When    | <b>November 6, 1930</b>            |
| Complexion | <b>Medium</b>            | Enlisted by Whom | <b>Gen. Robt. L. Roberts on</b>    |

This warrant of authority is void after **November 6, 1931**

and must be returned to this Department for Cancellation.

**This warrant also becomes void at any time the holder leaves the service of the Southern Pacific Railway and must be returned for cancellation.**

Given under my hand and seal of office, this **6th**

day of **November** 193 **0**

**Robt. L. Roberts**

The Adjutant General.

Attest:

**R. W. Shaver**

Captain Ranger Force

Commanding Co.

# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company.....Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Harris

I, Frank L. Goltson, born in Clark County

in the State of Missouri, aged 47 years and one months, and by occupation a

Regimental Cavalry Special Agent do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 5 day of

July, 1927, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,

without compensation unless sooner discharged by proper authority. And I do also ~~agree to accept from the State of Texas such~~

~~money, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law.~~ And I do solemnly swear

that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of

the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the

United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution

of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted

as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I further-

more swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor prom-

ised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my

appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 6 day of July, A. D. 1927

Fill in description below.

NOTARY PUBLIC, HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS

I certify that Frank L. Goltson, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me

previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and

will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 47 years

one months of age. Height 6 feet 1/2 inches. Complexion Dark Eyes Brown

Hair Black Born at ..... County of Clark State of Missouri

Occupation Regimental Cavalry Special Agent Married or single Married Previous service.....

Residence 1320 West Pierce Houston Texas

Remarks: .....

Caption Co.....Ranger Force.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

**OATH OF MEMBERS  
RANGER FORCE**

*So Pac*  
So. Pac.

Name *Frank L. Yolton*

Rank *Private*

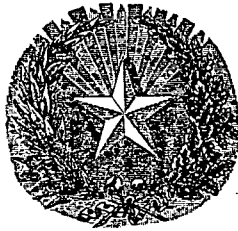
Company....., Ranger Force

Station *Houston*

*7/6/30*

Warrant dated July 6, 1929  
Discharged July 6, 1930

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

*Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List*

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer Frank L. Yolton

is a Private in ~~XXXXX~~ the XXXXX Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Approved March 31, 1919, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

Name Frank L. Yolton Rank Private  
Age 47 years 1 month Where born Clark Co. Mo.  
Height Six feet 1/2 inch Occupation Asst. Chf. Sp. Agt. SP Lines  
Hair Black Enlisted Where Austin, Texas  
Eyes Brown Enlisted When July 6, 1929

Complexion Dark Enlisted by Whom Gen. Robt. L. Robertson  
This warrant of authority is void after July 6, 1930, and also becomes void at any time the holder leaves the service of the SP. Lines, and must in either event be returned to this Department for cancellation

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 6th

day of July 1929

Robt. L. Robertson  
The Adjutant General.

Attest: R. W. Hedrick  
Captain Ranger Force

Commanding Co.

# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company..... Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of.....

I, Frank L. Yoltan, born in Clark County  
in the State of Missouri, aged 44 years and 7 months, and by occupation a  
Assistant Chief Special Agent  
San. Pac. Lines do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 1st day of  
Feb., 1927, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,  
Without compensation

unless sooner discharged by proper authority. And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such  
bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law. And I do solemnly swear  
that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of  
the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the  
United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution  
of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted  
as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I further-  
more swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor prom-  
ised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my  
appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

day of

A. D. 1927

Fill in description below.

I certify that Frank L. Yoltan, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me  
previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and  
will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 44 years  
7 months of age. Height 6 feet 1/2 inches. Complexion Medium Eyes Grey  
Hair Black Born at ..... County of Clark State of Missouri  
Occupation Assistant Chief Special Agent S.P. Lines Married or single Married Previous service .....

Residence .....

Remarks: .....

Caption Co..... Ranger Force.

*S. Pacific*

A. G. O. Form 21  
Authorized July 7, 1905.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

OATH OF MEMBERS  
RANGER FORCE

*J. P. Ry.*

Name

*Frank L. Goltz*

Rank

Private

Company

....., Ranger Force

Station

Houston

*7/4/29*

Warrant dated February 4, 1927  
Discharged February 4, 1928  
Reenlisted



# THE STATE OF TEXAS



## ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

### *Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List*

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer Frank L. Volton  
is a Private in ~~Company~~ the        Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this  
is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Ap-  
proved March 31, 1919, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to  
act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company  
Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by  
The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

|   |   |                  |                                     |
|---|---|------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Name  | <u>Frank L. Volton</u>                      | Rank             | <u>Private</u>                      |
| Age   | <u>44 years 7 months</u>                    | Where born       | <u>Clark Co., Mo.</u>               |
| Height  | <u>6 feet <math>\frac{1}{2}</math> inch</u> | Occupation       | <u>Asst. Chf. Sp. Agt. S. P. Ry</u> |
| Hair  | <u>Black</u>                                | Enlisted Where   | <u>Austin, Texas</u>                |
| Eyes  | <u>Gray</u>                                 | Enlisted When    | <u>February 4, 1927</u>             |
| Complexion  | <u>Medium</u>                               | Enlisted by Whom | <u>Gen. Robt. L. Robertson</u>      |
| <u>This warrant of Authority expires February 4, 1928</u> |   |                  |                                     |

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 4th  
day of February 1927<sup>8</sup>

Robt. L. Robertson  
The Adjutant General.

Attest: R. W. Hedrick  
Captain Ranger Force

Commanding Co.

# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company.....Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Harris

I, Frank L. Yoltan, born in Clark County

in the State of Missouri, aged 46 years and 8 months, and by occupation a

Southern Pacific Railroad do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 15 day of February, 1928, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,

unless sooner discharged by proper authority. And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law. And I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I furthermore swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor promised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of February A. D. 1928.

Fill in description below.

I certify that Frank L. Yoltan, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me

previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 46 years

8 months of age. Height 6 feet 1/2 inches. Complexion medium Eyes brown

Hair black Born at ..... County of Clark State of Missouri

Occupation Railroad Married or single married Previous service.....

Residence office 420 San Jacinto Bldg Houston Texas 1320 W Pierce Res.

Remarks: .....

Captain Co.....Ranger Force.

*So Pacific*

A. G. O. Form 21.  
Authorized July 7, 1905.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

**OATH OF MEMBERS  
RANGER FORCE**

SP

Name Frank L. Volton

Rank Private

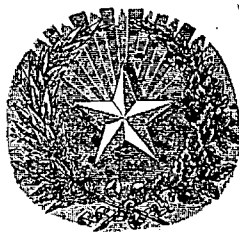
Company \_\_\_\_\_, Ranger Force

Station Houston

2/15/29

Warrant dated February 15, 1928  
Discharged February 15, 1929

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

*Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List*

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is a Private in ~~Company~~ the Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Approved March 31, 1919, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

Name Frank L. Volton Rank Private  
Age 46 years 8 months Where born Clark County, Mo.  
Height 6 feet  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch Occupation Sp. Agt. SP Lines  
Hair Black Enlisted Where Austin, Texas  
Eyes Brown Enlisted When February 15, 1928  
Complexion Medium Enlisted by Whom Gen. Robt. L. Robertson  
This warrant of authority is void after February 15, 1929, and also  
Becomes void at any time the holder leaves the service of the SP Ry

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 15th  
day of February 1928

Robt. L. Robertson  
The Adjutant General.

Attest: R. W. Dedrich  
Captain Ranger Force

Commanding Co.

# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company..... Ranger Force; Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Harris

I, Frank L. Yoltan, born in Clark County

in the State of Missouri, aged 43 years and 4 months, and by occupation a

Employee San. Pac. R.R. do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 4th day of

Jan, 1925, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,  
Without compensation.

unless sooner discharged by proper authority. ~~AND I DO SOLELY AGREE TO ACCEPT FROM THE STATE OF TEXAS THE~~

~~BONDS, PAY, SUBSISTENCE AND OTHER EXPENSES AS NOW OR MAY BE ESTABLISHED BY LAW.~~ And I do solemnly swear

that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of

the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the

United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution

of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted

as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I further-

more swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor prom-

ised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my

appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 4th day of January, A. D. 1925

Fill in description below.

I certify that Frank L. Yoltan, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me

previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and

will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 43 years

4 months of age. Height 6 feet 1 inches. Complexion Medium Eyes Dark

Hair Black Born at Clark County of Clark State of Missouri

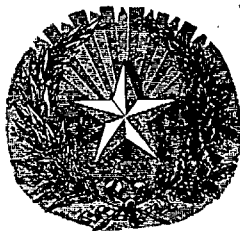
Occupation Post Chief Dep. Asst. S.P. Dir. Married or single Married Previous service.....

Residence 1113 W. Cottage Ave. Houston Texas

Remarks: Warrent Refused Feb. 1-1927

Caption Co..... Ranger Force.

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

*Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List*

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer Frank L. Yolton,  
is a Private in ~~xxxxxx~~ the Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this  
is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Ap-  
proved March 31, 1919, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to  
act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company  
Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by  
The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

|            |                           |                  |                                    |
|------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------------------------|
| Name       | <u>Frank L. Yolton,</u>   | Rank             | <u>Private,</u>                    |
| Age        | <u>43 years 4 months,</u> | Where born       | <u>Clark Co., Mo.</u>              |
| Height     | <u>6 feet 1 inch,</u>     | Occupation       | <u>Asst. Chief. Sp. Agt. S. P.</u> |
| Hair       | <u>Black,</u>             | Enlisted Where   | <u>Austin, Texas,</u>              |
| Eyes       | <u>Dark,</u>              | Enlisted When    | <u>January 4, 1926,</u>            |
| Complexion | <u>Medium,</u>            | Enlisted by Whom | <u>Gen. Dallas Matthews,</u>       |

This warrant of authority expires February 1, 1927.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 4th  
day of January, 1926.

Dallas Matthews  
The Adjutant General.

Attest: R. H. Hedrick  
Captain Ranger Force

Commanding Co. \_\_\_\_\_

# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company..... Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of: Harris

I, Frank L. Yoltan, born in Clark County

in the State of Missouri, aged 41 years and 7 months, and by occupation a

Asst. Chief Spl. Agent S.P.D. do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 7th day of December, 1923, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,

unless sooner discharged by proper authority. And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law. And I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I furthermore swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor promised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 7 day of December A. D. 1923

Fill in description below.

I certify that....., the above named man, has been carefully examined by me

previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 41 years

7 months of age. Height 6 feet 12 inches. Complexion Dark Eyes Brown

Hair Black Born at Clark County of Clark State of Missouri

Occupation Asst. Chief Spl. Agent S.P.D. Married or single Married Previous service.....

Residence 4904 Canal St. Houston Texas

Remarks: .....

Caption Co..... Ranger Force.

*Se Pacific*

A. G. O. Form 21.  
Authorized July 7, 1905.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

Asst. Chief Sp. Agt.

**OATH OF MEMBERS  
RANGER FORCE**

So. Pac.

Name Frank L. Volton,

Rank Private,

Company \_\_\_\_\_, Ranger Force

Station Houston,

Warrant dated December 7, 1923  
Discharged December 7, 1925



THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

*Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List*

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer Frank L. Volton,  
is a Private in Company Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this  
Article 6755, title 116 Complete Texas  
is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Ap-  
Statutes, 1920, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to  
act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company  
Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by  
The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

Name Frank L. Volton, Rank Private,  
Age 41 years, 7 months, Where born Clark County, Mo.  
Height Six feet,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch, Occupation Sp. Agt. So. Pac. Lines,  
Hair Black, Enlisted Where Houston, Texas,  
Eyes Brown, Enlisted When December 7, 1923,  
Complexion Dark, Enlisted by Whom Captain Aldrich,

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 7th  
day of December, 1923

R. H. Aldrich  
Actg. Asst. ~~Tex~~ Adjutant General.

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Captain Ranger Force  
Commanding Co. \_\_\_\_\_

## ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company.....Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF

*Ellis*

I,

*Frank Louis Tolton*

, born in

*Clark County*

in the State of

*Mo.*

, aged

*34*

years and

*11*

months, and by occupation a

*R.R. Special Agent*

do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this

*16th*

day of

*April*

, 1917,

as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,

unless sooner discharged by proper authority. ~~And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such~~

~~bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law.~~ And I do solemnly swear

that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of

the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the

United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution

of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted

as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I further-

more swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor prom-

ised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my

appointment. So help me God.

*Frank Louis Tolton*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

*16*

day of

*April*

A. D. 1917

*W.D. Colvin Justice Peace*

*Just. & Ellis County, Tex. & Officer's Notary Public*

I certify that....., the above named man, has been carefully examined by me

previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and

will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is

*34*

years

*11*

months of age. Height

*6*

feet

*42*

inches. Complexion

*Med*

Eyes

*Brown*

Hair

*Black*

Born at

*Hahola*

County of

*Clark*

State of

*Mo.*

Occupation

*R.R. Special Agent*

Married or single

*married*

Previous service

Remarks:

*Spl. Agent, G. H. & S. A. Galveston, Texas.*

Captain Co.....Ranger Force.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

OATH OF MEMBERS  
RANGER FORCE

Name

*Frank Louis Jolton*

Rank

*Private*

Company

*Special, Ranger Force*

Station

*Reinstated 12-22-07*

See GS Master letter attached RM memo

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

*Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List*

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer F.L. YOLTON

is a Private in ~~Company~~ ##### The        Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 27th Legislature of the State of Texas, approved March 29th, 1901, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

Name F.L. Yolton

Rank Private

Age 34 Years

Where born Clark Co., Mo.

Height 6 Ft. 1/2 inch

Occupation R.R. Special Agent

Hair Black

Enlisted Where Austin, Texas

Eyes Brown

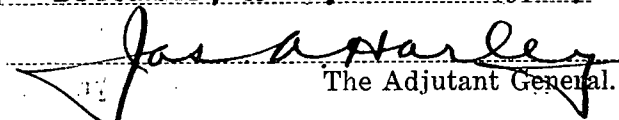
Enlisted When Reinstated 12/22/17

Complexion Medium

Enlisted by whom Adjutant General

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 22nd

day of December, A.D. 191 7

  
The Adjutant General.

Attest:

Captain Ranger Force  
Commanding Co.